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1. In response to a call from Mr. Knott, Blc read to him the pertinent sections of item 2 of 9 June Journal entry regarding the "Freedom Fliers". Immigration Service had to send a report to the Committee and wanted to know what they could tell them. Mr. Knott stated he would inform Immigration Service to report to the Committee that the Senator was no longer interested in the passage of the bills. Blc informed Mr. Rainville in the event the Committee asked him if this was true.

2. At 2:30 today, Mr. Houston delivered to Mr. Francis Carr personally a letter signed by the Director addressed to Senator McCarthy, requesting any information in the possession of the Subcommittee on Communist infiltration into CIA. The letter further stated that a copy was being sent to General Clark, but that investigation of any such information should not await the Commission's report. (Note to WLP --, I am not sure I ought to be the liaison again with Mr. Carr, because when he put the letter on the desk saying he would get it to the Senator at once, I said I saw no reason why he shouldn't read it as it was unclassified).

3. Mr. Gleason, of Senate Majority Leader's office, forwarded to us for translation and evaluation a paper bound book which the Senator had received from Formosa and regarding Communist China. In accordance with Mr. Houston's conversation with [redacted] Blc gave the book to [redacted] for FDD to examine.

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